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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend Paragraph [0009] as follows:

[0009] Fig. 10 is a schematic side view of a processing device according to one embodiment of the invention;

After Paragraph [0013], please add Paragraphs [0013.1] and [0013.2] as follows:

[0013.1] Fig. 15 is a schematic side view of a processing device according to another embodiment of the invention.

[0013.2] Fig. 16 is a schematic side view of a processing device according to still another embodiment of the invention.

Please amend Paragraph [0017] as follows:

[0017] In Fig. 10 the further processing stations can be implemented likewise in the way portrayed by the stamping station according to Fig. 11 or Fig. 12 as functionally separate units of individual work tool processing stations or processing stations with groups of work tools. The processing station 44 is therefore in this case one in which the drawing of the edge 22 in accordance with Fig. 5 is carried out. The processing station <u>45</u> illustrated in Fig. 10 shows a variant, in which precut cover foils 25 are arranged in a stack 41 and are individually taken from the stack and laid onto a cover part and are possibly presupplied with adhesive to fix them for further transport. In this station 45, however, a foil stamping work tool 45.1 can [[also]] be provided as shown in Fig. 15 which stamps the foil [[part]] 25 directly from a large foil web and adheres it to the cover part, for example, by point or areawise heat application. Also the station 45 is, as mentioned, implemented as an individual work tool station or as a station with groups of work tools which are functionally separate from one another.

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Please amend Paragraph [0019] as follows:

[0019] Finally, the station 47 is the actual sealing station which operates in the style and in the way of the prior art and sealingly fastens the foil 25 to the lid part 20 by heat sealing. Obviously, in known ways, the stations 45 and 46 can be omitted as shown in Fig. 16 and the stamping out of the foil 25, its placement on the cover opening, and its fastening can all take place in the station 47.